

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
COLUMBIA DIVISION**

VERNON FLEMING, et al., )  
Plaintiffs, )  
v. ) Case No. 1:14-cv-00006  
LORI HARNESS, et al., ) Chief Judge Haynes  
Defendants. )

## ORDER

Before the Court is Plaintiff's motion for transfer (Docket Entry No. 9), seeking transfer from Hickman County Jail, his current place of incarceration, to a Tennessee Department of Corrections facility. Under Meachum v. Fano, 427 U.S. 215, 224 (1976), intrastate prison transfers are not actionable under federal law because a State inmate's "conviction has sufficiently extinguished the defendant's liberty interest to empower the State to confine him in any of its prisons."

For these reasons, Plaintiff's motion for transfer (Docket Entry No. 9) is **DENIED**.

It is so ORDERED.

**ENTERED** this the 24<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2014.

  
WILLIAM J. HAYNES, JR.  
Chief Judge  
United States District Court